

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 13, 15, 17, 23 - 26 and add new claims 35 - 37 as follows:

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1. (Amended) A weather-based decision making method utilizing an input device and at least one server, said method comprising the steps of:
receiving a user preference profile for a specific activity;
comparing the user preference profile with pre-stored weather information; and
providing the user at least one of a plurality of suggested future times and a suggested location for the specific activity.

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13. (Amended) A method in accordance with Claim 1 wherein said step of providing the user at least one of a plurality of suggested future times and a suggested location comprises the step of providing the user with at least one of the plurality of suggested times and providing the user with the suggested location.

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15. (Amended) A method in accordance with Claim 13 wherein the network comprises one of a publicly accessible network, an intranet, a wide area network, and a local area network.

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17. (Amended) A system for providing weather-based decisions, said system comprising:
a database comprising weather information; and
a server configured to prompt a user to provide a user profile for a specific activity, compare the user profile with forecasted weather information pre-stored in said database, and provide the user with at least one of a plurality of suggested future times and a suggested location for the specific activity.

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23. (Amended) A system in accordance with Claim 17 wherein to provide the user with at least one of the plurality of suggested future times and the suggested location, said server causes to be displayed on a user device information related to appropriate times and locations for the specific activity to be performed during which times the weather conditions at those locations fall within the parameter selections made by the user.

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24. (Amended) A system in accordance with Claim 17 wherein to provide the user with at least one of the plurality of suggested future times and the suggested location comprises the step of providing the user with at least one of the plurality of suggested times and providing the user with the suggested location.

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25. (Amended) A system in accordance with Claim 24 wherein to provide the user with at least one of the plurality of suggested future times and the suggested location via a network comprises the step of creating an entry in a personal electronic calendar for a time and a location at which weather parameters in the user preference profile are forecasted to be at least one of met and exceeded.

26. (Amended) A computer programmed to:
prompt a user to provide a user profile for a specific activity;
compare the user profile with forecasted weather information pre-stored in said database;
generate a plurality of suggested future times and suggested locations for the specific activity; and
provide the user with at least one of a suggested time and a suggested location for the specific activity.

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35. (New) An expert weather system comprising:
a first interface that enables a user to enter a profile of an activity;
a publicly accessible network that transfers data from the interface;
a remote server coupled the publicly accessible network, the remote server being configured to process weather data and the profile and identify a plurality of future times and a location that correlate to the weather data and the activity; and
a second interface coupled to the remote server configured to receive the plurality of future times and the location for the activity.